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~~Edward Poitevin~~
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MY BIOGRAPHY

by Joseph Hugues Auguste Poitevin

I was born at Aix, in Provence on May 30, 1819. I left Aix for the City of Aubagne in 1826, because my father was appointed Chief of Police there. It was in the latter city that I made my first Communion, on June 2, 1832: I left Aubagne for the School of Medicine of Marseille on November 20, 1835. I qualified as Health Officer on November 23, 1838. It was in that city that I had the honor of being admitted as a student interne at the time of the capture of Constantine and that being placed in military service I was able to be of some use to our brave Zouaves and

I was also greatly flattered to be under Dr. Sue, uncle of the celebrated writer of Dr. Pinel, former surgeon of the Moscow army, and finally to follow a course of Professor l'Allemand of Montpellier.

It was while pursuing my medical studies that I obtained my degree of Bachelor of Arts, 1837 - a diploma which I never received because my work as Health Officer absorbed me completely as well as my plans to go to Toulon. It was necessary for me to go to the Royal Lyceum two or three times. I did not do it. I left for Toulon in January 1839, passed my examinations as Navy Surgeon at the end of April received my appointment and the order to embark on board a vessel carrying 80 guns, the "Jupiter", commandant Eugene Davison (Davison) May 1, 1839, on the king's saints' day.

We set sail from the port of Toulon, the Prince of Joinville was on board, on the 23rd of May, to rally the squadron of the East, under orders of Admiral Lalande, after a stay of several weeks in the Ourlao Islands, we movillom at Smyrna on July 25th.

A few months later the Prince of Joinville left our ship to go aboard the "Belle-Poule" which had been sent to him in order that he might take command of it.

The ship "LeJupiter" returned to Toulon after an absence of 9 months. We embarked again, for Athens, where we movillons on September 10, 1840. I visited in turn the Greek city and its monuments, Lalamine, Argos, Nauplie de Romania, Teriedos, Imbros, Chio the Dardanelles, Sonothrace, Syra. We returned to Toulon by way of the Straits of Messina; it was two o'clock in the afternoon by the city clock. Before me spreads the magnificent panorama of Mount Aetna of Catane, near the coast of Sicily, while on the other side rises the celebrated promontary on which Reggio sets forms the most surprising contrast. After having passed Carybde and Scylla we arrived at 9 o'clock at night before the Volcano Stromboli which throws out flames and spreads its lava in a river of fire to a thousand points on the mountain.

We crossed again the Straits of Bonifacio, then anchored before Ajacio (corvette taken at Toulon)

I quit the "Jupiter" to embark on the 24 gun corvette "La Bullante" captain Regnard, on Oct. 10, 1841. We were destined for the station of the Gulf of Mexico; after a 55 day crossing we arrived at Vera Cruz in the early part of December.

During this long station of more than 3 years we visited in turn La Havane, Pensacola, Campeche, Tabasco, Galveston, Tampico. The Steamboat Le Commandant Laurencus arrives in the port of Pensacola from Havana, with yellow fever on board. I was sent to it to bring relief. Aug. 12, 1843. I ~~was~~ myself am stricken with this terrible disease, the day after my arrival.

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I returned on board my corvette on Sept. 24th of the same year, the epidemic being over, having lost 23 men. Captain Regnard and Laurenoum, in the report to the Minister of Navy, request for me the medal of the Legion of Honor. I have never obtained it.

On March 20, 1844, I received the order to embark on board the brig of war the Mercury, Capt. Dubut to replace the surgeon major left ill in Havana. I remained on this brig 3 months. then returned to my ship. In a visit which we made to Compeche, we found the city besieged by Santa Anna's troupes. I received the order to see the Consul of France Mr. Larsene de Villeveque, with about 30 men to protect them during the siege. This siege lasted two months.

On June 16, 1844 I had the misfortune to lose one of my most intimate companion/ in arms, the ship's ensign Roger Dupre, who died of yellow fever at Sacrificio, and was buried in Green Island.

We leave for Brest November 9, 1844.

I forgot the shipwreck corp et biens of the unfortunate brig Le Danois, Capt. Vignaud, on Sept. 4, 1842.

At Paris Jan. 10, 1845

Aubagne Jan. 28th

Left Marseilles for New Orleans on board the 3 mast American Augusta,

Capt. Isely, Sept. 1, 1845 - at Pensacola the

Married to Mademoiselle Merced Palmes on the 24th, 1845

Left Pensacola for Mobile Oct. 8, 1847.

Civil War - 1860

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ENTRY OF REGISTER OF BIRTH CERTIFICATE OF THE STATE CIVIL OF THE COMMUNE OF RIEZ

Year 1760 October 27, and was baptized JOSEPH JACQUES SIMONE MAXIME RIEZ POITEVIN, legitimate son of Mr. Andre' Gaspar, Lawyer of the Court, first Mayor and Consul of this city Riez and of Mrs. Marie Anne Josephine Gaydon, Godfather was Mr. Jean Joseph Bourgeois, second Mayor and Counsel of this same City and Godmother Marcine Doucoiselle Elizabeth Gaydon wife of Mr. Joseph Cotte, third Mayor and Consul of this same City who have signed with us.

Signed Poitevins, Joseph, Gaydon, Cotte and Priest Rossalin

Riez - Sept. 17, 1847

The Mayor -- Officer
of the Civil State

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E. Carroll Poitevin
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My mother
My son
My daughter
My daughter
My brother
Dr. Joseph Auguste Hugues Poitevin
Merced J Lefevre
Mr. Aubert Estanislao
My father died 16 Mar. 1854 at 2 a.m. at Aubaque at age 71
Marie the 13 th. of Mar. 1813
My Mother died Sept. 21, 1858 at 11 at night at Mobile age 64
My son Eugene died 9 July 1861 at midnight on Tue. Age 7 1/2 yrs. at Mobile
My daughter Alice Anacleta died at Galveston, Texas 18 Oct. 1875 age 29
My daughter Adrienne Stephanie died at Mobile on Mon. March 15, 1875 age 25
My brother Eugene died at Mobile July 23, 1875 age 54
Dr. Joseph Auguste Hugues Poitevin died at E. Pascagoula, Miss. on 4 July 1877 age 58
1 month and 4 days
Merced J Lefevre died at E. Pascagoula, Miss. on 21 April 1830 age 32 5 mos. 23 days.
Mr. Aubert Estanislao died Jan. 8, 1868 in 74th yr.

BIRTHS - PALMES FAMILY

Francisco De Paula Joseph Antonio Leon
Ruiz born in the city of the Island Royal De Leon
Maria Inocentea or Maria de la Merced Ynocentea
Caro of Toled Spain & of Maria Machao' of Canary Island
Francisco De Paula Joseph Antonio Leon so of Don Francisco Palmes and Madam Juana
Ruiz born in the city of the Island Royal De Leon June 28, 1798
Maria Inocentea or Maria de la Merced Ynocentea daughter of Mr. Benito Tomas
Caro of Toled Spain & of Maria Machao' of Canary Island born Dec. 28, 1803
at Mobile & baptized Jan. 3, 1804

Eugene - son of Dr. A. Poitiven
Adrienne - died Mon. Mar. 15, 1875 - Wife of Robert S. Foster
Mrs. Alice Jennett - died at Galveston, Texas Oct. 18, 1875 - daughter of Dr. A. Poitevin
Eugene - son of Dr. A. Poitiven died Wed. July 10, 1861. Died at Mobile -
Funeral Dearborn St. between Govt. and Church St.
Adrienne - died Mon. Mar. 15, 1875 - Wife of Robert S. Foster, daughter of Dr. Poitiven.
Mrs. Alice Jennett - died at Galveston, Texas Oct. 18, 1875 - daughter of Dr. A.
Poitevin, Vice Consul of France at this port, - age 29 yrs., native of
Pensacola. Her funeral will take place today in Mobile. (Husband Russell
C. Jennett.)

JOSEPH AUGUSTE HUGUES
MARRIAGES

Merced Palmes & Dr. A. Poitevin
Philippa Palmes & Mr. E. Lefevre
Isabelle Palmes & Sidoine Krebs
My daughter Alice & Russel Jennett
My daughter adrienne & Robert Foster
My daughter Bertha & J. P. Delmas
My daughter Hellen P.P. & Adrain A. Krebs
Merced Palmes & Dr. A. Poitevin Sept. 24, 1845
Philippa Palmes & Mr. E. Lefevre Dec. 29, 1845
Isabelle Palmes & Sidoine Krebs Jan. 24, 1846
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My daughter adrienne & Robert Foster Apr. 17, 1866
My daughter Bertha & J. P. Delmas Jan, 21, 1879
My daughter Hellen P.P. & Adrain A. Krebs Apr. 8, 1880

BIRTHS

Alice Anachota Poitevin
Raoul Mannel Poitevin
Adrienne Stephanie Poitevin
Eugene Sidoine Elie Poitevin
Paul Edward Marcel Poitevin
Berthe Henriotto Poitevin
Helene Isabelle Poitevin
Gaston Joinville (Rudolphe) Poitevin
Auguste Medar Krebs
Eugene Jans Krebs
Oct. 1875 - 24yr
Alice Anachota Poitevin - July 13, 1846 (Adolphe & Merced Palmes)
Raoul Mannel Poitevin - Sept. 11, 1848 (D.M. Crugat & Corinne Krebs)
Adrienne Stephanie Poitevin - Dec. 26, 1850 (Sidoine Krebs & Phillippa Lefevre)
Eugene Sidoine Elie Poitevin - Jan. 7, 1854 (Sidoine Krebs & Phillippa Lefevre)
Paul Edward Marcel Poitevin - Dec. 22, 1856 (Ed Gautherin & Pauline Duncier)
Berthe Henriotto Poitevin - June 16, 1859 (& Henriotto Delbouché)
Helene Isabelle Poitevin - June 8, 1861 (Isabelle Krebs & Mendoya)
Gaston Joinville (Rudolphe) Poitevin - Nov. 30, 1866 (Rudolphe Reincock & Marie L. Krebs)
Auguste Medar Krebs - Nov. 3, 1880
Eugene Jans Krebs - Sept. 12, 1882

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- I. Dr. Hoseph* Auguste Hugues Poitevin d. 7-4-1877 age 58 1 mo. & 4 days
 m. Merced Palmes died 1-20-1908 (m. 9-24-1845)
 1. Alice Anachete July 13, 1846 - 10-18-1875 age 29 (m. 4-12-1866)
 m. Russell C. Jennett
 2. Raoul Manuel Poitevin b. 9-11-1848 -
3. Adrienne Stephaine b. 12-26-1850 - d. at Mobile Mar. 15, 1875 age 24
 m. Robert S. Foster m. Apr. 17, 1866
4. Eugene Sidoine Eli 1-7-1854 - July 9 or 10 1861 at Mobile 7 1/2 yrs
5. Paul Edward Marcel 12-22-1856 - Oct. 27, 1928
 m. Mary Isabella Flechas 7-31-1864 - 12-3-1926 (m. 4-29, 1885)
 a. Elwood Cowan Poitevin Aug. 15, 1883 - 12-27-1977
 m. Ozie Lennep July 12, 1911 - May 9, 1986
 a. J. Marcelle
 b. Phillip A.
 c. Mary Virginia m. Robert J. O'Sullivan
 d. Darla m. Anthony N. Lawrence Jr.
 e. Angela m. Manuel L. Bosarge III
 f. Phyllis m. Wallace R. Devers
 g. Carol m. Michael J. Kilcher
 b. Eugene Paul Poitevin Mar. 17, 1890 -
 m. Emma Bishop Jan. 26, 1892 - Oct. 5, 1961
 a. Lucille Poitevin
 m. Alf Bodden
 1. Alf Bodden Jr.
 m. Betty Talbot
 2. William E. Bodden
 m. Lynn McGowan
 b. Oneil Poitevin 9-26-1915 - 2-29-1992
 m. Vivian Rubels
 c. ~~Ethel Rose~~ ^{Handwritten: Ethel Rose} ~~n.m.~~ ^{Handwritten: n.m.} ~~1-2-1902~~ ^{Handwritten: 1-2-1902} a. Betty June Poitevin m. Richard God
 d. Camille Poitevin Mar. 10, 1898 - Oct. 28, 1982
 m. George Rodriguez
 a. George Edwin Rodriguez
 m.
 1.
 2.
 3.
6. Bertha Henriette June 16, 1859 - 1942 (m. 1-21-1879)
 m. I P. Delmas 1-21-1849 - 12-15-1928
 a. Merced 1879-1941 e. Jeff. 1887-1934 m. Vivian Cl
 b. Olivia V. 1883-1953 f. Leonard 1894-1897
 c. Forestine 1886- g. Lee 1900- m. Augusta B.
 d. Alice 1886-1897 h. Randolph 1897 - (m. Gra
7. Helene Isabelle Poitevin June 8, 1861-
 m. Adrain A. Krebs - d. 9-22-1884 (m. Apr. 8, 1880)
 a. Eugene J. 9-12-1883 - 12-26-1969 m. Cecile Sward Scott
 b. August Hiliare 11-2-1880 - 4-15-1968 m. Mattie
 m. (2) James Krebs (brothers) 1859- 1-31-1925
 a. Had 11 children
8. Gaston Joinville (Roudolphe) Nov. 30, 1866 -
 m. Isabella Smith
 a. Herbert
 b. Ruth
 c. Maud

II. Eugene Poitevin died at Pascagoula July 23, 1875 age 54

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- 2/ Eugene Paul Potievin Mar. 17, 1890 - *died*
m. Emma Bishop Jan. 26, 1892 - Oct. 5, 1961
1. O'Niel Poitevin
m. Vivian Rubels
a. Betty June m. Richard Goff
2. Lucille Poitevin
m. Alf Bodden (dead)
a. Alf Jr.
m. Betty Talbot
b. William Bodden (his second name is Eugene)
m. Lynn McGowan
3. Helen Rose n.m. died 78 or 79 died June 19, 1979

4. Carmille Lillian Poitevin Living
m. George Rodriguez Living
1. George Edwin Rodriguez (he has 3 children)
m.
a.
b.
c.

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1. Condalura Villard July
M. Joseph J. Flechas Jan.
2. Victorine A. Villard Mar. 10/18
M. Fritz Becht 13 Mar. 30/186
a. Florence Becht M. William
b. Victorine Becht 1884-1962
1. Florence
2. Helena.
3. Bella Villard M. Francis C
M. R. D. Smith on Daug Bell
4. Isabella Mary Villard
M. Jerone Krebs (Sister Cecilia)
a. Sidoine Krebs > Hilda Roy, Lillian, Bertie, Lena, Leo, Mary Etta, Rose
m. Josephine Grlot 13-22
b. Sylvester N.C.
m. Pearl Rouse
c. Leon Krebs
m.
d. Isabelle Johnson
m. Johnnie Green - Mary Catherine, Claude, Marvin, Eunice, Obie, Lenore
e. Phillipa
m. W.D. Eiland myrtle
5. Villard M. Bullman
a. Russell & sister B July 14, 1874 (one sister & one brother John)
6. Martin Villard
7. Ardie Villard
- 8.
- Paul Poitinen M.
M. Mary Flechas
2. Lennie Poitinen
M. D.D. & James Krebs
3. Bertha Harriet
4. Gaston Poitinen
M. Bella ~~Villard~~ Smith.
- (Dr. Poitinen (Father)
French Counselor

Hugo Ernestus Rente Krebs
m. Marie Josephine De La Ponte b 1751
1. Joseph Krebs
m. Marie Louise Dupont 1763 - 1843
a. Joseph Krebs m. Eleanor Hindenburg
1. Sidoine 8,28,1816-9,2,1864
m. Isabella Marie Louise 1831-1893
a. Jerone Krebs 1852 - 1917
m. Isabella Mary Villard
a. Sidoine Krebs 1878 - 1951
m. Josephine Grlot 1831-1951
b. Cecile Krebs 1854 - 1915
m. Francis Johnson
a. Francis, Rita, Isabella

2. Optat Krebs

Isabelle, son John
13-22

Johnson
Mary Catherine, Claude, Marvin, Eunice, Obie, Lenore

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I

Father
M. Mother.

d. Mar. 16, 1854 at Aubagul age 71
d. 1 ~~3~~ Mar. 1859. 21/85 age 6.

J. Dr. Joseph Auguste Hughes d. 7-4-1877
M. Merced Palmes m. 9-24, 1842 (51-20-1855)

d. Eugene Portenir d. July 9-1861 (2. Jan. 7, 1854)

2. Alice Anacleta ^{B. July 13-1846} d. Oct. 18, 1875 age 29 at Salis, Tex.
M. Russell C. Jennett m. Apr. 12, 1866

3. Adrienne Stephanie d. Mar. 15, 1875 - B. 12-26-1851.
M. Robert S. Foster m. Apr. 17, 1866

4. Bertha ^{B. June 14, 1829}
M. J. P. Delmas m. 1-21-1879

5. Hellen. P. P. ^{B. June 8, 1861}
M. Adrairie A. Krebs m. Apr. 8, 1880

6. Raoul Mannel Portenir ^{B. 9, 11-1848}

II ^{1. Paul 12-22-1826 - d. Oct. 22 1928}
^{2. Estelle B. 11-30-1866}
Eugene d. July 23, 1875

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Dear Mrs. Bowman
I have only had a chance to dance
at Delia Mon Criers Wood
you did on the Villard's
Will you please send me one -
If you have the Flechas
Chart. Under the Victoria A.
that married E.E. Krebs I
am Rita Mae Gentile that
married J.E. Krebs. Helena
said you might write me.
Jerome Krebs (1) M. Villard
And (2) M. Alice Clark - Krebs
My daughter Diane drew this
Old Spanish Fort first Krebs
house.

ordered some books &
certificates

Avenue
ida 32503

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they recognized all
came with Galvez.

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books. I have given
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Suarez, Rodriguez,
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during the celebration---
Certificates to the
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this --- but wanted you
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, also I can document
s the family of Palmes.

any of the bloodline.

of the family over there

ales tax made out to the
Pensacola Historical Society and let me know what family name or names
you want and I will document them for your certificates.

I would appreciate it if you would send my photo back as it is the only
one I have --- and a friend took it.

As soon as the supply of Certificates are gone---we will not have any more
printed---so if you want any, let me hear from you soon.

I hope you are having a good summer and that all of your family is okay.

Sincerely,

Dicy Bowman

Mrs. D. G. Bowman, Jr.

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^{father} ^{mother}
I. Joseph Auguste Neeges
Pocahontas d. 7-4, 1877
M. Merced Balmez m. 9-24, 1845-
1. Eugene d. July 9-1861
2. Alice Anactela d. Oct. 15-1875-
m. Russell S. Jennett m. Apr. 12, 1866
3. Adrienne Stephanie d. Mar. 15, 1872
m. Robert S. Foster m. Apr. 17, 1866
4. Bertha
m. J. P. Delmas m. Jan. 21, 1879
5. Helen P.P.
m. Adraing A. Krebs m. Apr. 8, 1880
II. Eugene d. July. 23, 1875-

William Halling-
219 5th St.
Chicks-

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M. (2) Almeida Webb
a. August, Victoria, Delia, Goldie, Franklin, Hazel

D. Virginia Flechas N.M. Dec. 18, 1871 - June 6, 1944

E John Flechas

M. Mary

1. John

2. Mary

F. Condalaura E Flechas D. 1935 age 6:3

M. Norman M. Seymour D. Jan. 2, 1946 age 79

1. Elda M. J. D. Buffett (J. D. Patricia, Katherine, Billy)

2. Mildred M. Walter Pilham

3. Lois M. J. H. Jew (June & Jr. Blanch, Bernard & Sonny Boy)

4. Hubert n.m.

5. Norman n.m.

6. Bernard M. Aphelia (Carol, Dottie, Bernie, Candalaura)

7. Blanch M. H. V. Spavin (Betty Lahare)

G. Maguel Martin Flechas Feb. 25, 1879 - May 11, 1948

M. Louise Walker

1. Condalaura Flechas

M. A. M. Browne

a. Kay

2. Ferdie F. Flechas

M. Helen Ros Cox

a. Genevieve

b. Ferdie F. Jr.

3. Anias Flechas

M. A. W. Penola

a. Mary Lou

4. Victoria Flechas

M. Dr. Thomas Beech

1. Don

5. Maguel M. Flechas

M. Dell Hobdy

1. Maguel M. Flechas Jr.

M. Kay Fant.

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6. Alfred Flechas
M. Myrtle Duncan
1. Keith, Kenneth, A. J. Jr., Gene.
7. Louise Flechas
M. Corsey E. Lyons Died June 9, 1964 age 49
1. Richard E. M. Anne Dewey
2. Clara M. John Castora
3. Judy. 4. Linda, 5. Patricia, 6. Nancy.
8. Lillian Flechas
M. Richard Lynch
1. Caroline, Ronald, Frances, Richard, Janice, Jannita
9. Mary Azelie Flechas
M. Dr. Micheal Sheridan
1. Kathaleen, Donny, Patrick, Nancy, Eileen, Timothy
Vincent.
- # Paul Eugene Flechas, Feb. 16, 1881, Dec. 28, 1889

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C. Mrs. M. L. Beinecke,
Mrs. J. E. Walker
Mrs. Cecile A. Johnson
Mrs. Blanche Frentz
Mr. Jerome Krebs -
Mr. Alex E. Krebs
Mr. John F. Krebs - MacB.
Mr. Allen J. Krebs -

Allen J.	Mrs. M. L. Beinecke
J. A.	Johnson
A. E.	Frentz
John F.	Pg. 157 Krebs File

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Poitenin, legitimate son of Mr. André
Gaspar Lawyer of the Court, first Mayor and
Consul of this City Piez and of Mrs. Marie
Anne Josephine Laydon, Godfather was
Mr. Jean Joseph Bourgeois, second Mayor and
Counsel of this same city and God Mother.
Marcine Doucoiselle Elizabeth Laydon wife
of Mr. Joseph Cotte. third Mayor and Consul of
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Signed Poitenins, Joseph, Laydon, Cotte and
Priest Roscolin -

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(Joseph Auguste Hughes)

Marriages

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Helene Isabelle Poitevin June 8, 1861 (Isabelle Krebs & Mendoy)
Pastor Jovinille (Adolphe) Poitevin Nov. 30, 1866 (Adolphe Rineck & Marie Louise Krebs)
Auguste Medar Krebs Nov. 3, 1870
Eugene Lamo Krebs Nov. 1, 1877

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1. Condalura Villard July 19, 1908 - 66 yrs old.
M. Joseph J. Flechas. Jan. 24, 1883 died 59 yrs old.
2. Victorine A. Villard Mar. 10 1852 - May 21, 1921
M. Fritz Becht B Mar. 30 1858 - 1930
a. Florence Becht M. William Ankerson - Lawrence, Ethel Mae Lyle, Walter Joseph, Mary Clair, Victorine
b. Victoire Becht 1884-1962 M. Silas R. Powell 1883-1933
1. Florence
2. Helena,
3. Bella Villard M. Francis Cordena Son M. in N.O.
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M. R. D. Smith on Daughter married Hastone.
4. Isabella Mary Villard
M. Jerone Krebs (Sister Cecile Krebs Johnson c) Rita, Francis & Isabella Johnson Irving
a. Sidoine Krebs > Hilda Roy, Lillian, Bertie, Lena, Leo, Mary Ethel, Rose
M. Josephine Airlot
b. Sylvester N.C.
M. Pearl Rouse
c. Leon Krebs
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d. Isabelle Johnson
M. Johnnie Green - Mary Catherine, Claude, Marvin, Eunice, Obie, Lenore,
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5. Villard M. Bullman
a. Russell & sister B July 14, 1874 (one sister & one brother John)
6. Martin Villard
7. Ardie Villard
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Paul Poitinen M.
M. Mary Flechas
Lannie Poitinen
M. D.D. & James Krebs
3. Bertha Harriet

4. Gaston Poitinen
M. Bella Villard Smith.

(Dr. Poitinen (Father) -
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 2. John Augustine M. 6-5-1836
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Certificate of Baptism

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OUR LADY OF VICTORIES CHURCH
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This is to Certify

That Kosa Ethel Poitevin
Child of Karl Poitevin
and Mary Flechas
born in Pascagoula, Mississippi
on the 20 day of April 1895 was

Baptized on the 26 day of May 1895

According to the Rite of the Roman Catholic Church

by the Rev. C. A. Oliver

the Sponsors being Robert Wells

and Kosa Castenaro

as appears from the Baptismal Register of this Church.

Dated Nov. 26 1954

R. J. Donnelly Pastor



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1880 Census of the Poitevin Family

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Year	Name	Sex	Age	Relationship	Occupation
1880	Isabella C	W	F 3	Daughter	
	Robt B	W	M 1	Son	
	Edmes Julia	W	F 23	Daughter	
179/85	Carlton Joshua	W	M 42	Son	Working in the field
	India	W	F 24	Wife	Keeping house
	Frank	W	M 15	Son	Working in the field
July 1884	Lee	W	M 11	Son	
	William	W	M 9	Son	
	Roe	W	M 7	Son	
	May	W	F 5	Daughter	
	Pearl	W	F 3	Daughter	
	Knight Alice	W	F 12	Daughter	
	Candice Alex	W	M 22	Son	Working in the field
180/86	Poitevin Mercy	W	F 53	Daughter	Keeping house
	Raoul	W	M 32	Son	Clerk in store
	Paul	W	M 23	Son	Steamboat
	Gaston	W	M 13	Son	
181/87	Welch Lucinda	W	F 35	Daughter	Keeping house
	Hester's Keturah	W	F 29	Sister	
	Lacey	W	F 23	Sister	
182/88	Colle Herman	W	M 41	Son	Working in the field
	Wilhelmina	W	F 21	Wife	Keeping house
	John	W	M 7	Son	
	Bernie	W	F 5	Daughter	
	Wilhelmina	W	F 3	Daughter	
	Herman	W	M 2	Son	
	Tardier Elizabeth	W	F 62	Wife	At home

Note D.—In making entries in columns 9, 10, 11, 12, 16 to 23, an affirmative mark only will be used—thus /, except in the case of deceased persons, where X, when the time of death is known.

Note E.—Question No. 13 will only be asked in cases where an affirmative answer has been given either to question 10 or to question 11.

Note F.—Question No. 14 will only be asked in cases where a gainful occupation has been reported in column 13.

Note G.—In column 7 an abbreviation in the name of the month may be used, as Jan., Apr., Dec.

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W 5 22		1	Lumber Inspector		Georgia	Georgia	Georgia
W 5 24	Wife	1	Keeping house		Ala	Eng	Fla
W 5 45	Don	1	Works in Saw Mill	1	Texas	Georgia	La
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W 5 31		1	Keeping house		Fla	Spain	Ala
W 5 32	Don	1	Clerk in Store		Ala	France	Fla
W 5 33	Don	1	Steamboat cap		Ala	France	Fla
W 5 34	Don	1		1	Ala	France	Fla
W 5 35		1	Keeping house		Fla	Ireland	Fla
W 5 36	Daughter	1			Miss	Ireland	Fla
W 5 37	Daughter	1			Miss	Ireland	Fla
W 5 38		1	Don't know		Germany	Germany	Germany
W 5 39	Wife	1	Keeping house		La	Germany	Germany
W 5 40	Don	1		1	La	Germany	La
W 5 41	Daughter	1			La	Germany	La
W 5 42	Daughter	1			La	Germany	La
W 5 43	Don	1			Miss	Germany	La
W 5 44	Daughter	1	At home		Germany	Germany	Germany

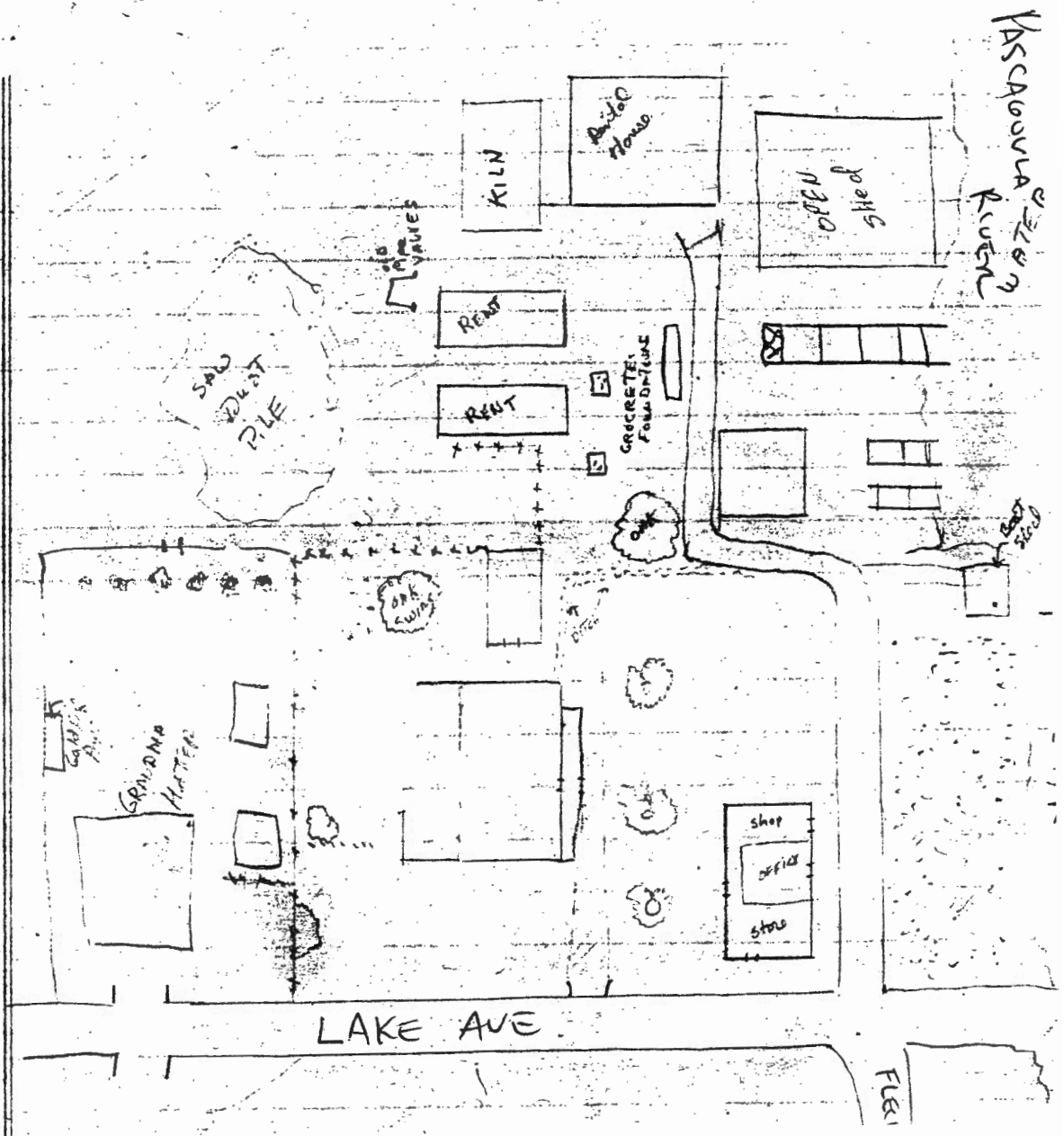
1. In all references to this page, all to which "Don" is applied, except in the case of deceased persons, column 11, when the letter "D" is to be used.
2. In all references to this page, all to which "Daughter" is applied, column 12, when the letter "D" is to be used.
3. In all references to this page, all to which "Wife" is applied, column 13, when the letter "W" is to be used.

POITEVIN PROPERTY 404 LAKE AVENUE PASCAGOULA, M

Drawn by Philip Poitevin 12/30/98

Based on his memories from 1947 - 1965

Price to SALE to Mr. Bell.



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*This letter is you --- me --- never mailed in ---
wrote it --- Since then we think Flechas ordered some books &
sent me too much money + I sent him a certificate
Aug 24, 1981*

~~July 29, 1981~~
2885 Blackshear Avenue
Pensacola, Florida 32503

Dear Rita,

You were so kind to let me use your genealogical material and also your daughters pictures.

Pensacola had a Galvez Celebration in May in which they recognized all families in Pensacola before Galvez and those who came with Galvez.

We had eighteen families recognized. Of this there were six families that received certificates because of my work and books. I have given up a year of research to work with this commission --- so I hope I can get back to my research.

Enclosed is a photo of the medallion and certificates that were given during the celebration.

I can document your daughter for three families: Suarez, Rodriguez, and Gonzalez. We were not able to get Villar documented but I got one on my grandmother's side.

The Certificates were paid for from state funds during the celebration--- but it is now out of commission. They gave the Certificates to the Historical Society and they are charging \$2.00 each plus \$1.00 postage for approving the documentation and preparing the certificates.

I did not have time to write you earlier about this --- but wanted you to know about it. I documented Eugene Kee and he got a medallion and certificate during the celebration.

I can document any of the Flechas that want one, also I can document the Poitevins and Krebs for the three named plus the family of Palmes.

They can even be made for your grandchildren or any of the bloodline.

Will you please tell your sister and the rest of the family over there about this.

You can write me and enclose a check plus 4% sales tax made out to the Pensacola Historical Society and let me know what family name or names you want and I will document them for your certificates.

I would appreciate it if you would send my photo back as it is the only one I have --- and a friend took it.

As soon as the supply of Certificates are gone---we will not have any more printed---so if you want any, let me hear from you soon.

I hope you are having a good summer and that all of your family is okay.

Sincerely,

Dicy Bowman
Mrs. D. A. Bowman, Jr.

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2885 Blackshear Avenue
Pensacola, Florida 32503
October 27, 1980

Mrs. J. E. Krebs
4102 Willow
Pascagoula, MS 39567

Dear Rita,

This is not a formal letter, but I headed it with your name as I have several notes to write this morning and I did not want them to get mixed up.

Well, I am sorry that I did not make myself clear to Helena and that I did not get all of the information that she was getting for me, but after a while, you get so tired of waiting, that you just have to get rid of it. I was really about a month late in getting it to the printer and he was about a month late getting it back to me. In fact he told me that it would be three to four weeks and it was six weeks. I was kinda provoked with him.

I guess you are wondering what happened to the pictures which I had of yours, well the printer brought the books, but not the manuscript and pictures. He lived in Foley, Alabama, so it is not the same as if he lived here in town, or rather his shop was here. He told me that he would mail it to me, but I never got it, so, one day, I just drove over there and got it from him. So that is why I am late with the pictures. Or rather, returning them to you.

Enclosed are all of the pictures that I have kept of yours. I surely do appreciate your daughter letting me use them, and also for your letting me use all of your good work on the Pascagoula bunch.

I hope that you enjoyed the book, and if you know of anyone that you think might want a copy, please let them know, as when the copies that I have are gone, that will be it, as, I will not reprint, as printing is too costly.

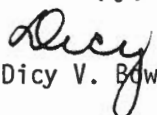
It's been great, talking with you through our letters. I hope someday, to get over there and meet you and Helena. Please thank Helena for me, and tell her that I am sorry that I did get the information that she was collecting for me.

Jimmy Buffett was here in Pensacola this past weekend. Eugene Kee told me that he was kin to you all.

There is someone here in Pensacola working on the Palmes background and if I hear anything that you would like, I'll will send it on to you.

Let me hear from you sometime.

Sincerely,


Dicy V. Bowman

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Marriage Records - Escambia Fla.
Book "B"

Sept. 24, 1844

Joseph A.H. Poitevin M. Merced Palmes - recorded Sept. 25
by J.M. Porter

May 1968

Mobile Ala

Juan Villard b. 28 May 1799 Baptized 15 June 1800
Son of Juan Villard and Francisca Duval

Paternal - Juan Villard
Maternal - Francisco Duval

Margarita Alonzo Native of Placencia in Italy
Deresa Blanchpain of N.O.

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Petroleum Products and Boat Docks

FISHERMEN'S SUPPLIES

Oil and Boat Docks 111 Lake Avenue

- MARINE HARDWARE
- BOAT SUPPLIES
- WOOLSEY'S PAINTS
- NAVICOTE MARINE FINISHES

PASCAGOULA, MISS.

May 9-73

Rudder

Fawcett Building

Greenwich. Conn.

Gentlemen:

I had ordered my duck for \$7.00 (11/10/10) to cover Sub to

Rudder.

I may please you to know that my first contact with the

Rudder was 1902-4-5.

I ran into an owner of the Rudder while on a visit to
my Uncle at Pedro Bay Ala. Post Office Palmetto Beach &
Soldier Creek on the Bay.

My Uncle Capt. Rufus Sley carried the mail up & down
Pedro Bay in his Sloop Edgewood (at that time no power only
sails).

We pushed up mail at Milliver Fla. (d Wood Bay) / at stop was
Tillicin Ala. next Soldier Creek (Hatches) next Palmetto
Beach then across to Walker (went from Palmetto Beach across
Bay in pulling Skiff - then back up Bay to Milliver - 2 trips
a week).

I ran into Rudder Mags. on found order for Gas engines (Manas
motor) on went back home to Pascagoula on arrival a 22 ft
Boat which we (Priller) had ordered for order a 6 H.P. engine from
order in Rudder.

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PASCAGOULA, MISS.

we have been getting & reading mine (excepting Procity time in Army W.W. I 1918)

If I am correct the Editor was Grand Old Man Thomas Fleming Day

I have I must say improved the Rudder very very much in these years as while I don't expect to stay here to much long 84 1/2 15th Ave. Ave. I still hope to get the Rudder done some time yet.

I recently my business out to my son saw Robert O. Sullivan
and he going to make a 1st class mariner.

Wishing Him you (Rudder) all the Best.

I Beg to Remain

Yours very truly

E. Poitevin

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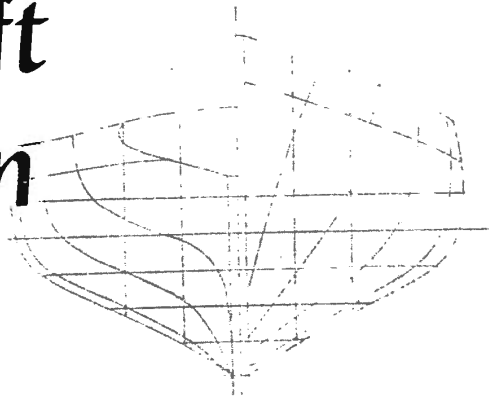


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Benson
Manual Gladys (w) *Fla*
Letter

The National Watercraft Collection



by

Howard I. Chapelle

Curator of Transportation

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UNITED STATES NATIONAL MUSEUM

SEAN O'SULLIVAN HAS 2
PHYLLIS DEAN HAS 1
BOB CILLOT HAS 2
BOBBONS HAVE 4

POITEVIN 1/2 MODEL BOAT
SUPPOSEDLY THERE ARE
2 MORE OF THEM E SMITHSON

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WASHINGTON, D.C.

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section shows a rising floor, rather hard bilge, and an upright topside. The bow is rather high and bold.

Scale of the model is $\frac{3}{8}$ inch to the foot, for a boat measuring about 37 feet 4 inches moulded length at gunwale, 9 feet moulded beam, and about 3 feet draft at skeg.

Given by Anson Holley, shipbuilder, Biloxi, Mississippi.

**BILOXI SHRIMP BOAT, 1920-22
BUILDER'S HALF-MODEL, USNM 311233**

A launch for the shrimp fishery was built from this model at Biloxi, Mississippi, in 1920-22 by Henry Brasher.

The half-model shows a round-bottomed launch with its greatest depth well forward and having a sharp entrance and rather long and flat run, a straight upright stem rabbet, a vertical square stern with a broad transom, a cambered keel rabbet, to which a skeg is intended to be fitted aft, and little sheer. The midsection shows a slightly rising floor, hard bilge, and upright topside.

Scale of the model is $\frac{3}{4}$ inch to the foot, to produce a launch about 34 feet 2 inches moulded length at gunwale, 9 feet 8 inches moulded beam, and drawing about 3 feet at skeg.

Given by Henry Brasher, shipbuilder, Biloxi, Mississippi.

**PASCAGOULA SHRIMP BOAT, 1925
BUILDER'S HALF-MODEL, USNM 311248**

Lucille

The shrimp boat *Lucille* was built from this model at Pascagoula, Mississippi, in 1925 by Portevin Brothers. She was a gasoline-engine powered launch, with the cuddy in a small trunk cabin.

The half-model shows a launch-type hull having a wide square stern, a long run, a short sharp entrance, an upright curved stem, and a raking flat transom. The midsection shows a rising floor with a rather slack round bilge.

Scale of the model is $\frac{3}{4}$ inch to the foot; the launch was 38 feet long, 12 feet beam, and about 4 feet moulded depth.

Given by Portevin Brothers, boatbuilders, Pascagoula, Mississippi.

**TEXAS COAST FISHING LAUNCH, about 1928-30
BUILDER'S HALF-MODEL, USNM 311251**

A fishing launch was to be built from this model at Palacios, Texas, by Rowland Hicks about 1928-30, but was not laid down.

The half-model shows a launch-type hull to be fitted with skeg and straight shoe with some drag; the keel rabbet is straight forward and sweeps up aft to a fantail stern, the stem is nearly straight and upright, and the sheer is quite straight. The midsection shows a rising floor, slack round bilge, and flaring topsides. The entrance is sharp and the run rather full.

The model is on the scale of $\frac{3}{8}$ inch to the foot, to represent a launch 38 feet moulded length at gunwale, 12 feet moulded beam, and about 6 feet depth of side.

Given by Rowland Hicks, boatbuilder, Palacios, Texas.

**MOTOR FISHING BOAT, 1929
BUILDER'S HALF-MODEL, USNM 311251**

This model is of a design for a fishing vessel proposed by Rowland Hicks, of Palacios, Texas, but never built.

The half-model shows a very full-ended and burdensome motor vessel having a fantail stern, straight sheer, keel rabbet straight forward and curved up aft to the stern (a small skeg is shown), stem nearly straight and upright, entrance short and full, as is the run. The midsection shows a rounding and rising floor, a very slack bilge, and a flaring topside. The greatest beam is forward of midlength.

Scale of the model is $\frac{1}{4}$ inch to the foot, for a vessel about 53 feet moulded length on deck, 21 feet moulded beam, and about 7 feet moulded depth.

Given by Rowland Hicks, boatbuilder, Palacios, Texas.

**BILOXI TRAWL BOAT, 1930
BUILDER'S HALF-MODEL, USNM 311229**

From this model a trawl boat was built in 1930 at Biloxi, Mississippi, by Jack Covacovich. Altogether, four boats were built from it.

The half-model is for a launch having an upright stem rabbet, upright flat transom, small sheer, and the keel rabbet straight forward but rising aft to the bottom of the transom and intended to be fitted with a skeg. The entrance is short but sharp, the run long and flat, the stern is wide, the greatest beam is well forward of midlength, and the midsection is formed with a rising floor, slack rounded bilge, and an upright topside.

Scale of the model is $\frac{1}{2}$ inch to the foot, for a vessel 33 feet 3 inches moulded length, 10 feet 4 inches moulded beam, and about 5 feet moulded depth.

Given by Jack Covacovich, shipbuilder, Biloxi, Mississippi.

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Nov 29, 1929

RED CROSS DRIVE NEARLY COMPLETE	Poitevin Brothers Deliver Two Big Oyster Boats	THE SECOND - ONE OF 61
<p>ny of the Captains of Drive Report Increased Subscriptions Over Those of Last Year.</p>	<p>"Columbia and "Miss-Ala" Are Added to Fleet of Pascagoula Packing Company.</p>	<p>Rev. Bryan Simmons Fine Hall to Home. Miss Perez</p>
<p>Although the annual drive for mem- s of the National Red Cross, begun Pascagoula last Monday, has not en- ly been completed, the indications n reports made by some of the dist- t chairmen are that the amount scribed will exceed that of last year. n account of the inclement weather week, some of the women making canvas were unable to see all the dents of the districts, some have pleted their work and report good alts.</p>	<p>On Monday of this week, the "Miss- Ala" a seventy-two foot oyster schooner, was turned over to the Pascagoula Packing Company by her builders, Poitevin Bros. Inc. Last Wednesday, the "Columbia," a sister ship of the "Miss-Ala," was delivered to the same company, and both boats are now out dredging oysters, the "Columbia" leav- ing last Thursday, and the "Miss-Ala" sailing Tuesday of this week.</p>	<p>Rev. Bryan Simmons the Baptist church, w ten day revival in the c the speaker of the ho club Tuesday, making talks that had been ha in some time. He ap- tions of such a shu- of members toward but stated that they at duty alone, but shot that was in them to th munities, schools, chu- cited a quotation from the Mount, where the any man compel thee with him twain." The the privilege mile. In Jewish captivity any- could compel an Israel- him one mile. The te a man should not st exacted by law or d rather go the other r thing more. Honesty upright dealing were t courtesy and patrioti were the second mile, second mile that made more lovable.</p>
<p>The drive was under the chairman- p of Mr. J. C. Allred, the regularly ointed roll call chairman, and he ointed as his assistants a number the prominent social workers of the r, and they have not shirked the ob- tion, but have, with one or two ex- tions above noted, called on every it person in their respective dis- ts, with gratifying success. It was rankless job, both for the roll call rman and the canvassers, but they not hesitate to engage in the good rk, and are due the thanks of the lcers of the National Red Cross as l as the local chapter.</p> <p>As soon as the returns are all in a nplete list of the amounts collected the various canvassers will be nted, showing also the total amount tributed to this worthy cause.</p>	<p>Double Launching. An unusual fact in connection with the boats was that they were launched together, and at night. The double launching took place on November 9.</p> <p>The schooners are sister ships and built exactly alike. They are seventy- two feet long, have a beam of twenty- one feet and are four feet and eight inches deep. The engines in the schooners are twenty-four horsepower Lathrop gas motors, and are used as an auxiliary power with the sails.</p> <p>The keels of the sister boats were laid in May and since then a force of twelve men had been employed. Nearly all the lumber used was manufactured at the yards of Poitevin Bros. The iron work was furnished by Pascagoula Iron Works and with the exception of the sails, practically everything in the boats came from Pascagoula. The "Miss- Ala" and the "Columbia" are the larg- est oyster schooners operating out of Pascagoula and are a substantial addi- tion to Pascagoula's fishing fleet.</p> <p>Other work now under construction at Poitevin Bros. is a sixty foot barge for Claude Delmas, a thirty-eight foot trawl boat for the J. H. Pelham Com- pany, and a twenty-six foot ferry boat for the Alabama Dry Dock and Ship- building Co. of Mobile.</p> <p>Poitevin Bros. Shipyard was organ- ized in 1916 and incorporated in 1923, and since its organization has engaged in building commercial craft, mostly</p>	<p>Double Launching. An unusual fact in connection with the boats was that they were launched together, and at night. The double launching took place on November 9.</p> <p>The schooners are sister ships and built exactly alike. They are seventy- two feet long, have a beam of twenty- one feet and are four feet and eight inches deep. The engines in the schooners are twenty-four horsepower Lathrop gas motors, and are used as an auxiliary power with the sails.</p> <p>The keels of the sister boats were laid in May and since then a force of twelve men had been employed. Nearly all the lumber used was manufactured at the yards of Poitevin Bros. The iron work was furnished by Pascagoula Iron Works and with the exception of the sails, practically everything in the boats came from Pascagoula. The "Miss- Ala" and the "Columbia" are the larg- est oyster schooners operating out of Pascagoula and are a substantial addi- tion to Pascagoula's fishing fleet.</p> <p>Other work now under construction at Poitevin Bros. is a sixty foot barge for Claude Delmas, a thirty-eight foot trawl boat for the J. H. Pelham Com- pany, and a twenty-six foot ferry boat for the Alabama Dry Dock and Ship- building Co. of Mobile.</p> <p>Poitevin Bros. Shipyard was organ- ized in 1916 and incorporated in 1923, and since its organization has engaged in building commercial craft, mostly</p>
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| No. 9 | - | MARSILLY, Lassus | - | Succession of Lassus Marsilly,
October 5, 1731 -
Bobe' (Pélesclaux, N.P. |
| No. 10 | - | MONBRUN, de, Jean
Baptist Bouche | - | Succession of Jean Baptist
Bouche de Monbrun de St. Laurent,
May 20, 1748 - Raguet, N.P. |

"P"

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| → No. 11 | - | POTEVIN | - | Succession of Potevin -
November - 1766,
(Joseph) Duros, N.P. ✓ |
| No. 12 | - | PECHAU | - | Succession of Pechau, January
3, 1767 |
| No. 13 | - | PREVOST | - | Succession of Prevost - ✓
January 1, 1767, Fourcault, 1st
Judge of the Superior Council
of the Province of Louisiana. |

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| No. 14 | - | RENAUD | - | Succession of Claude Renaud,
(called Avignon) June 11,
1765 - Fourcault, 1st Judge of
the Superior Council of the
Province of Louisiana. |
| No. 15 | - | ROQUINY, Louis | - | Succession of Louis Roquiny,
July 16, 1762 -
Broutin, N.P. |
| No. 16 | - | RATEAU, Paul | - | Succession of Paul Rateau,
June 1, 1748 -
Chantalou, N.P. |

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| No. 17 | - | Soudain | - | Succession of Soudain -
October 12, 1765, Garic, N.P. |
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| No. 18 | - | TRUDEAU | - | Succession of Trudeau -
March 6, 1740, Lenormand, 1st
Judge of Superior Council of the
Province of Louisiana. |
| No. 19 | - | TREPAGNE', Mrs. 'Id. | - | Succession of Mrs. Wid.
Trepagne', November 9, 1739
Salmon - Fleuriat (Judges) |

CHRONICLE-STAR

PASCAGOULA, MISSISSIPPI, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1922

REGATTA ATTENDED

Regatta Attracts
to Pascagoula
Labor Day.

and people thronged
on day to participate
a lodge of Elks La-
which was the prin-
of the day in Pas-
s Point.

successful from the
entertainment, and
Elks lodge, officers
ing a preliminary
eipts. Two feature
y were a boat race
ay, which attracted
o the water's edge,
nder baseball game
Ala., and the Voca-

ce, the Lillian Walk-
t, owned by Captain
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YACHT AND COUNTRY CLUB LATEST MOVE- MENT IN PASCAGOULA.

Organization of a yacht club
to combine features of a coun-
try club is the latest thing in
Pascagoula.

During the summer much in-
terest was shown in boat rac-
ing, and several Pascagoula
boats sailed in regattas of Gulf
Coast yacht clubs and won
prizes. Enthusiasm in the
sport has increased, and hun-
dreds of persons witness races
each week from Pascagoula
beach.

A meeting will be held Sat-
urday night by a number of
men who are interested in
capitalizing the interest. At
the meeting plans for forming
a yacht and country club to be
located on the seashore will be
discussed.

TRAIN KILLS MAN AT PECAN STATION.

John Dye, aged 50, was ac-
cidentally killed last Saturday morning
at the Pecan railroad station, by the
southbound Pan-American train. It
is said that Mr. Dye was slightly
deaf and supposed that he was walk-
ing along the track and did not hear
the train approaching. He had been
engaged in loading cross ties at the
station, and was on his way to work.

He was brought to Pascagoula on
train No. 9, but died before arriv-
ing. Funeral services were held
from the family home near Kreole,
and burial was in the Orange Grove
cemetery, the Rev. L. I. Thompson,
conducting the services. Mr. Dye
was a laborer. He is survived by
his wife and two children.

PROMINENT VETERAN OFFICIALS VISIT HERE.

Major A. J. Dekker of Washing-
ton, D. C., whose business is to look
after vocational training schools for
disabled soldiers, under the Veterans
Bureau and F. L. Tibbetts, superin-
tendent of a vocational school in San
Antonio, Texas, were here Wednes-
day to confer with Dr. Isham Kim-
bell, superintendent of Pascagoula
Training Center.

Major Dekker praised the Pasca-
goula school very highly and said it
was a model after which other
schools were patterned. He recently
spent two weeks in inspecting the
school and reported it of superior
merit both as to equipment and
teaching staff.

REAL ESTATE IN JACKSON COUNTY

Recorded in the Chancery Clerk's
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September 1, 1922.

Mrs. Margaret Hyslop and George
Speedie to Miss Alice Jane McCaw,
N $\frac{1}{2}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of 6-7-
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7-4, \$1, and other valuable con-
sideration.

Mrs. Margaret Hyslop and George
Speedie to H. F. Hazlewood, N $\frac{1}{2}$ of
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of 6-7-4, \$1, and other
valuable consideration.

Mrs. Margaret Hyslop and George
Speedie to George Speedie, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of
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able consideration.

Mrs. Margaret Hyslop and George
Speedie to Wm. Morrison Clark,
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\$1, and other valuable consideration.

Mrs. Margaret Hyslop and George
Speedie to Wm. Cullen, S $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$
of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of 6-7-4, \$1, and
other valuable consideration.

Mrs. Margaret Hyslop and George
Speedie to W. M. Christie, S $\frac{1}{2}$ of
N $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of 6-6-4,
\$1, and other valuable consideration.

Mrs. Margaret Hyslop to George
Speedie to Alex. Stevenson, N $\frac{1}{2}$ of
N $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of 6-7-4,
\$1, and other valuable considera-
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B. S. Brown to Robt. W. Johnson
and M. A. Aarons, part of lot No. 4
of square H, per plan of survey in
surveyor's record at page 25, being
60x200 feet on De La Palma street,
city of Pascagoula, \$600.

J. A. Obenchain to B. J. Kennedy,
N $\frac{1}{2}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of 35-6-9, \$1.

T. G. Hibbler to E. J. Ford, W $\frac{1}{2}$
of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of 2-6-7, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of 3; NW $\frac{1}{4}$
of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of 27-6-7,
\$1000. T. G. Hibbler to E. J. Ford,
undivided one-half interest in lot
50 of the Rene Krebe tract, City of
Pascagoula per plat of record in
book 8, page 286 $\frac{1}{2}$, \$1.

Bryant A. Webb and Mon. L.

POITEVIN BROS. YARD IS BUSY ON NEW CRAFT

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Gulf Shipyard for Ferry
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ferry moat to be placed in servi-
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town on the Pearl river. This craft
is owned by Biloxi people and will
be used for conveying automobiles
across this water link in the C
Spanish Trail.

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and schooner Delta are undergoing
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the Gulf Ship Company's yard.

HUBERT STEPHENS ELECTED SENATOR

James K. Vardaman Defeated
Majority of From 8,000 to
9,000 Votes.

Jackson, Miss., Sept. 7.—Scat-
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the lead of Hubert D. Stephens, for-
mer congressman, over former Sen-
ator Jas. K. Vardaman, in Tuesda-
state-wide primary for the Dem-
cratic nomination to the Unit-
States senate, which was given in
official compilations as 8,000
9,000 votes.

Burch Concedes Victory.

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**Elwood Poitevin
Made Member Of
A National Ass'n**

Elwood Poitevin, manager of the Pascagoula branch of the Animal Trap Co. and the Poitevin Brothers boatbuilding plant has been named as representative in membership of the National Association of Manufacturers of United States. This is a distinct honor for the Pascagoulan as there are few members of this prominent organization in this section.

The membership of the organization is made up of manufacturing leaders and prominent industrialists from all parts of the nation. F. M. Woolworth, president of the Animal Trap Co., of List, Pa., is a member of the committee on National Defense and Industrial Mobilization of the National Association of Manufacturers.

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(From Chronicle-Star.)

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personal importance in his own life, he ying to pay back an old political score blocking Lillenthal's appointment as chairman. The fate of the world does not rest on whether or not Lillenthal and only Lillenthal occupies the post. There may be other men as good. But float to disqualify him for cheap politicians on the level of county politics is ettle to cast fear and sadness into the of every man who can think on a level e Senator McKellar's.

Lillenthal is a public-power man. Atomic ty was developed by the cooperation of cientific brains of many countries over decades, and the final organizational which produced the bomb involved the iditure of two billion dollars of govern- money and the top-priority of the na- tion's efforts.

omic energy is too vast and too dan- is to be entrusted now or ever to private orations. Any man on the street knows

Lillenthal, having administered the est public power project in the world, 'VA, is of course of this philosophy. Mc- r and the Republicans who back him in ight probably want to get some political in the job, under the fantastic notion atomic energy can be turned over to te business under license or franchise. would be like turning over Gabriel's pet of doom to a young Boy Scout.

hope that the "Power which has made re-served us a nation" will confound an and vindictive senator in his effort to rd the nation's destiny to pay back an olitical score.

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one sure and reliable service that lets men know that they are not forgotten, hat what they do is important.

In addition to this, the Red Cross carries a program of famine and disaster relief ouble-areas all over the world, includ- those areas in our own country, as we in Mississippi, who have suffered so y disastrous floods, have good reason member.

let us remember also that the Red Cross out of business because the war is over. let us give generously to raise the bud-

read by the papers where Rep. Harold iten and his Republican cohorts are dained to cut income taxes 20 percent in brackets. That means a fellow making 00 a year, with a family of five, will save at enough from this 20 percent cut to buy ther school suit for junior. The fellow made \$200,000 a year out of the war will saved enough to buy a yacht. We say cut es by raising the tax exemption \$500 for h citizen. That will distribute tax relief he proportion that it is needed.

have a close watch these days.



The Poitevin brothers, El- wood and Eugene, who launch- ed their first boat in 1906, have rounded their fortieth mile- stone and now in 1947 are enter- ing their fifth decade in the boat business. They are per- haps the oldest local enterprise which has been doing business under the same name. If there are other companies or partner- ships in the Pascagoula-Moss Point area who have been do- ing business uninterruptedly for forty years or longer we should like to hear of them, for from time to time during the coming year we plan to write columns about the ex- periences and memories of older Jackson county business men.

The Poitevin brothers were scarcely more than boys when they set up their first ways along about 1905 and started in boat-building for them- selves. They had put in an ap- prenticeship in George Thomp- son's backyard, and their first ways were set up adjoining his yards on the river.

This week we sat down in the back room of their store and talked for a long time to Mr. Gene and Mr. Elwood about the old days. It was like turn- ing time backward—like film in a movie camera—until we

river of almost half a century ago came back clearly into focus. Elwood rummaged through old papers in the safe and brought out a fine collection of old photographs, faded but still clear, of luggers, schooners and barges that were made in local boatyards in years gone by. The years rolled away, and one could hear the vanish- ed saws and hammers of long ago, and see the old sailing ships still on the river.

The first boat they launched after forming the partnership was a 22-foot launch, christen- ed the "Mav" because it was launched in May of 1906. She was powered with what in those days was considered a fine engine—a one-cylinder, six horsepower Miami. Today such a boat would be powered with a twenty or twenty-five horse- power engine at the least.

One of the most vivid mem- ories in the storm of Sept. 3, 1906, which almost wiped them out in their first year as part- ners. Their ways were damag- ed and their first boat all but sunk. They point to an old pic- ture of the George Thompson ways and describe the damage that was done to it. One large tug was blown from the ways and another almost float- ed away by the high tide.

"I think the 1906 storm was the worst blow that ever hit

Green" meeting!

here—worse than 1916," said Mr. Elwood. "The storm-tide ran seven or eight feet high and covered the trolley tracks in town. Boatyards were smashed and some of the finest timber that was still left in these parts was blown down. I think that this was the be- ginning of the end of the great period of the lumber business here."

He pointed to a tall pine in the old photograph of Thomp- son's shipyard. "I was stand- ing under that tree during part of the hurricane," he said. "The force of the wind was hard to believe. Big planks were fly- ing around in the air like straw. Pine cones came shoot- ing out of those trees like bullets."

The next spring the brother's spent some weeks with their launch towing the storm-shat- tered timber down the river to the old Farnsworth log- boom. By this time most of the sap layers of the wood had begun to rot but the heart pine was still prime for lumber. But only a part of the timber could be salvaged, and a number of mills never recovered from this blow.

"It's hard for the younger generation to appreciate what Pascagoula was like in the old days when it was still Scrat- ton, and there were boats on the river from ports all over the world. There were schoon- ers, barks, brigs—every rig a- float. They had ports near the bows so that the timber could be stowed lengthwise with the ship, and boats sailed out of here, some of them loaded al- most to the gunwale with beams of heart pine that prob- ably went into buildings in cities all over the world."

Some of their old photo- graphs show these old sailing ships at moorings in the river. Pascagoula has quite a differ- ent look in these pictures—more like the movie versions of old waterfronts of the last century in the days of "wood- en ships and iron men."

In 1916 the brothers moved to their present site at the end of Lake Avenue. In their forty years of boatbuilding they have turned out everything from skiffs to 100-foot barges, and from Biloxi schooners to catboats. Their largest sailing boats were two 72-foot schoon- ers, the Missala and the Miss Columbia. One of the best boats ever built in the yard, they say, was a 54-foot cruiser called the "Silver Spray," built for Clyde Bryant. In addition to the boats they have launch- ed, they have caulked and re- paired, rigged and remodeled a good many of the boats on the river, and many which now sail in other ports.

About 1926 they set up a ship-repair manufacturing company and turned out thou- sands of dozens over the next twenty years. The business was sold eventually to the An- nual Trap Company. In 1946

or the poorer countries would receive the bulk of the state aid.

The speaker was brought to the Kiwanis meeting through the efforts of Ben Briggs, a long time friend, and was introduced by County Superintendent of Education A. F. Metchie, a num- ber of the county board head- were present at the meeting.

Quotes General

Mr. Tubbs made his address on the recent statement of General Eisenhower that "Education is the key to the prevention of World War III." He declared that education is a stop gap measure only and that real peace can only be achieved until the brotherhood of man is estab- lished through education.

The speaker declared further that the American way of life can only be perpetuated through the educational systems and warned that standard teachers are now instructing in state schools.

He said that he spoke as a father, well as an educator, when he said that the school children deserved the very best trained teachers available.

J. T. Johnson, principal of the Pascagoula Junior High School, E. L. Goff, principal of the Moss Point Charlotte Hyatt Elemen- tary School and president of the Jackson County Teachers' Asso- ciation; J. J. Melvin, principal of the Hurley School; and Lester Draughn of the Gautier School were guests of the club.

The stars of the Southern Cross are pictured in Brazil's flag and coat of arms.

the factory caught fire in the paint room and burned up with total loss.

work on the local fleet of lug- gers, work boats and pleasure craft. But the essential atmos- phere of their business has not changed since they started out forty years ago. Manufacturing methods have changed in a hundred other fields. The big Ingalls yards have turned out a total tonnage equal to liter- ally thousands of times all the boat tonnage produced on Pas- cagoula river since the dawn of time. But this only adds to the authentic and somehow nostalgic atmosphere which still clings to a small river boat- yard. Engines may change and grow more powerful with the years, but the hull work—the making of ribs and brac- es, the dressing of edges and the water-proofing of seams—is essentially the same as it was thousands of years ago.

When old Noah made his Ark before the flood, he did the kind of work that goes on to- day in the small boatyard like the Poitevins. And old Ulysses, the adventurous Greek who got blown about the Mediter- ranean for 20 years by con- trary winds and tides in an ef- fort to return to Greece from Troy, finally must have drawn his battered ship into the same sort of wooden ways, and begun the same sort of repairs that one can see going on today in the Poitevin yards.

relatives in Gulfport in the early part of the week.

Removal Sale at Cox's.

Messrs. Henry and Eugene Gautier and Master Harold Gautier were recent visitors.

Miss May Munday returned Tuesday night from Clinton, La., where she was called by the death of her father.

Miss Louise Walker returned Tuesday from New Orleans, where she was called by the illness of her grandmother.

I. P. Delmas, manager of the Delmas Packing Co., visited Biloxi on business Thursday.

Walter Gautier, the prominent saw-mill man of West Pascagoula, transacted business here Thursday.

Surveyor E. N. Ramsay of Ocean Springs transacted business here Wednesday.

Attorney C. H. Wood of Moss Point was a visitor to the state capital last week.

Edmond J. Jane, president of the Merchants & Marine Bank, was a visitor to New Orleans on Monday.

The Pascagoula Electric Light & Power Co., have completed their lines to the Dautzler mills.

A very elaborate repast was served Monday night at the Odd Fellows' hall by Rathbone Lodge No. 157, K. of P. to members and guests.

Gaston Poitevin has received his appointment as assistant light house keeper, and will be located at the mouth of the river.

Dr. J. T. Evans returned Monday from Grenada whither he was called by the illness of his mother. We are glad to learn that she is doing better.

D. D. Cowan attended a meeting of county superintendents of public education held in Jackson Thursday and Friday.

Capt. Spotswood's new stern wheel steamer, Lady Grace, arrived here Monday, and will ply between this point and New Orleans.

We are indebted to the Palace Pharmacy for an attractive and artistic calendar. The design is a beautiful one and the work splendid.

"Clip" of the Picayune says: "Hon. Horace Bloomfield of Scranton is one of the most prominent men on the senate floor at Jackson."

and we hope he will shortly recover.

A. H. Smith, one of Moss Point's most prominent business men, visited Mobile on business Thursday.

Mrs. Geo. L. Pellerin and infant son left Wednesday night on a week's visit to relatives in Litcher, La.

Chase Laurendine of New Orleans spent Sunday here, guest of his sister, Mrs. J. J. Clark.

William Martin of Vancleave, one of the county's citizens who is well posted on foreign matters, was a pleasant visitor at our office on Saturday last.

A fire caught in the roof of Cox's store building Thursday evening late, but was extinguished before it got a foothold.

John F. Holley, advertising manager of the Mobile Item, was a pleasant visitor at our office on Thursday. Mr. Holley was here in the interest of his paper and is determined to fully cover this field. The Item is a good paper.

Richard, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Miller, died Wednesday night and was buried in the Pascagoula cemetery Thursday afternoon. He was the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Miller and had been ill for only a week. The funeral ceremonies were performed by Rev. C. O. Smith.

Susan Harris, an old colored woman 75 years of age died on Monday. She was interred the following day at St. Paul's cemetery.

Pascagoula Commercial Club Meeting.

At a meeting of the Commercial Club held Monday night the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: F. H. Lewis, president; J. W. Stewart, vice president; W. M. Canty, treasurer; D. D. Cowan was continued as temporary secretary until the regular election for this office, which will take place at the next meeting.

A resolution was adopted by the club requesting and urging every individual and corporation interested in this section to cooperate with the efforts of the organization in the developing and up-building of the port of Pascagoula. The authorities of the L. & N. Railroad are especially urged to assist in the work.

Another resolution was adopted asking the L. & N. Railroad to build a new passenger depot and enlarge its freight

then come down by Central. The coast men this section of the state is a marvelous progress, and the well known as other state, and for this reason show it to the lawmaker the coast and New Orleans prove one of the delights of the session.

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Oma Henrik
Oma Henrik Henrik young man of this county the residence of his Mrs. Karl Henriksen, young man was employed & Mitchell store as clerk. He was taken ill a couple of days before his death and was so nicely that he ventured out which produced his demise. He was a young man and was a body. The community the parents, who in a lost two sons at nearly the same time. The interment took place in the Pascagoula cemetery. The services were held at the Gregory, Presbyterian

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Roy T. O'Bryant, Pres.

POITEVIN

Ellwood Cowan Poitevin, 89, 404 Lake Ave., Pascagoula, was dead on arrival at Singing River Hospital Tuesday, Dec. 27, 1977. Mr. Poitevin was born Aug. 15, 1888, in Moss Point and had been a resident of Pascagoula for 85 years. He was the former owner of Poitevin Brothers Shipyard and Singing River Decoy Co., and also owned and operated Poitevin Marine Docks. He was a World War I Army veteran and a member of Our Lady of Victories Catholic Church. Mr. Poitevin was the son of the late Paul Marcelle Poitevin and Mary Isabel Flechas Poitevin and the grandson of the late Dr. Auguste Poitevin of Aix, France, and Palmes Poitevin of Pensacola, Fla., who were pioneer families of Pascagoula.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Ozie Lennep Poitevin, Pascagoula; two sons, J. Marcelle Poitevin, Pascagoula, and Phillip A. Poitevin, Jackson; five daughters, Mrs. Robert J. (Mary Virginia) O'Sullivan, Mrs. Anthony N. (Darla) Lawrence Jr., and Mrs. Manuel L. (Angela) Bosarge III, all of Pascagoula, Mrs. Wallace R. (Phyllis) Devers, Moss Point, and Mrs. Michael J. (Carol) Kilcher, Columbus, Ohio; one sister, Mrs. George (Camille) Rodriguez, Pascagoula; 23 grandchildren; and other relatives.

Friends may call tonight, Dec. 28, at O'Bryant-O'Keefe Funeral Home from 6-9 p.m. Rosary will be recited at 8 p.m. Prayer services will be held Thursday, Dec. 29, at 9:30 a.m. from the funeral home chapel followed by Requiem Mass at 10 a.m. at Our Lady of Victories Catholic Church. The Right Reverend Monsignor James J. Hannon will act as celebrant. Interment will be in Greenwood Cemetery with full military honors.

Arrangements by O'Bryant-O'Keefe Funeral Home.

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BODDEN

Lucille Emma Poitevin Bodden, 83, of Moss Point, Miss., born January 24, 1919, in Pascagoula, Miss., died October 3, 2002 in Pascagoula. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church, a past member of the St. Josephs Ladies Auxiliary and Our Lady of Victories Sodality. She was preceded in death by her husband, Alfred Griffin Bodden, Sr.; parents, Eugene Paul Poitevin and Emma Bishop Poitevin; brother and sister-in-law, ONeil F. Poitevin and Vivian Poitevin; sister, Helen Rose Poitevin.

Survivors include two sons and daughters-in-law, Alfred Griffin (Betty) Bodden Jr. of Moss Point and William Eugene (Lynn) Bodden of Moss Point; five grandchildren, Christine Lucille (Joe) Benigno, Alfred Griffin Bodden, III, Micheal Allen Bodden, Elizabeth Ann Bodden, and Joanna Michelle Bodden; three great grandchildren, Jessica Ann Benigno, Samantha Carol Benigno, and Haley Nicole Bodden; nieces; nephews; and other relatives.

Visitation will be Friday, October 4, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., with Rosary recited at 7 p.m., at Jackson County Funeral Services in Escatawpa, Miss.

Funeral services will be 10 a.m., Saturday, October 5, from

St. Joseph Catholic Church in Moss Point, with burial following at Machpelah Cemetery in Pascagoula.

Pallbearers will be Alfred Griffin Bodden III, Micheal Allen Bodden, Hugh Bodden, Lance Bodden, Joe Benigno and Bobby Verbeck.

Officiating services will be Father Dominic Fullam.

Arrangements by Jackson County Funeral Services, Escatawpa, Miss.



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PORTIVAN

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or Moss Point, Miss., died June 27, 1997 in Pascagoula, Miss. He was one of Jackson County's oldest citizens. He was born January 12, 1896 in New Castle, Louisiana. He grew up in Lottie, Louisiana with one brother and five sisters. He moved to Pascagoula in 1922 and owned a printing shop in Pascagoula in the 1930's. He

worked at Ingalls in 1939 and later worked 15 years for the Washington D.C. Evening Star as a journalist. He wrote several books on Natural Nutrition. He retired in Pascagoula in 1969. He was a member of of Our Lady of Victories Church. He was preceded in death by his wife of 60 years, Camile Portivan; his wife of six years, Ruby May; three sisters; one brother; his mother, Fannie Benedict; and father, Alcee Rodriguez.

Survivors include one son, George Edwin Rodriguez and wife, Jean, Sattilite Beach, Florida; grandsons, Paul R. Rodriguez, Pensacola, Florida, David Rodriguez and wife, Karen, Dallas, Texas; one granddaughter, Patricia Heater and husband, Mark, Daytona Beach, Florida; two great-granddaughters; one great-grandson; four step-daughters, Bracey Flurry, Moss Point, Clara Ishee, West Helena, Arkansas, Beth Bolls, Vicksburg, Miss., and Billie Robinson, Richland, Miss.; 16 step-grandchildren; four very devoted step-great-grandchildren, Laurel Johnson, Chelsea Flurry, Erica and Timothy Williams; a host of nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be Tuesday, July 1, 1997 from 6:00 until 8:00 p.m. at Holder-Wells Funeral Home, Moss Point, Miss. Rosary will be at 7:00 p.m.

Funeral service will be Wednesday, July 2, 1997 at 2:00 p.m. from the funeral home chapel with Father Gerard Cleary officiating.

Interment will follow in Greenwood Cemetery, Pascagoula, Miss.

Pallbearers will be Robbie O'Sullivan, David Rodriguez, Gene Groome, Jimmy Flurry, Mike Kitchens and Tony Lawrence.

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POITEVIN

Mrs. Ozie (Lennep) Poitevin, 74, 410 Lake Ave., Pascagoula, died Friday, May 9, 1986, at Singing River Hospital. Mrs. Poitevin was born July 12, 1911, in Escatawpa and was a lifetime resident of the county. She was a member of Jackson Avenue Baptist Church in Pascagoula. Mrs. Poitevin's family was among the first settlers of the Escatawpa-Moss Point area.

Survivors are two sons, Joseph M. Poitevin Sr., Pascagoula, and Phillip A. Poitevin, Camden, Miss.; five daughters, Mrs. Mary V. O'Sullivan, Mrs. Darla Lawrence and Mrs. Angela K. Bosarge, all of Pascagoula, Mrs. Carol A. Kilcher, Columbus, Ohio, and Mrs. Phyllis A. Devers, Moss Point; one brother, Murray Lennep, Houma, La.; three sisters, Mrs. Bertice Forsman, Mrs. Christina Clark and Mrs. Mary Alice Edwards, all of Pascagoula; 25 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be from 6 to 9 tonight, Sunday, May 11, at O'Bryant Funeral Home, Pascagoula, where Rosary will be recited at 8 p.m. Funeral service will be at 10 a.m. Monday, May 12, from the chapel, with the Rev. Tommy Kendrick and the Rev. John Burke officiating.

Interment will be in Greenwood Cemetery, Pascagoula.

GRAHAM

Robert Atwood Graham Sr., 64, of 18501 Old River Road, Vancleave, died Saturday, May 10, 1986, at his home. Born March 26, 1922, in Shreveport, La., Mr. Graham had resided in the county most of his life. He was retired from civil service with the U.S. Postal Service, served in the Marine Corps in World War II, and was a member of First United Methodist Church, Pascagoula.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Bettie Lou Graham,

CASTONA

Edward Otto Castona, 75, 6002 Lepoma Road, Biloxi, died Wednesday, May 7, 1986, at the VA Hospital in Biloxi. Mr. Castona was born July 4, 1910, in Pascagoula. He was retired from the rigging department at Ingalls Shipbuilding and was a veteran of World War II, serving in the Army Airborne Division. Mr. Castona was of the Lutheran faith.

Survivors are two sons, James Edward Castona, Beaumont, Texas, and Robert Glenn Castona, Laurel; two daughters, Mrs. Rufus E. (Wanda) Hill, Pascagoula, and Mrs. John (Betty) Parker, Biloxi; a brother, John Herbert Castona, Smerna, Ga.; six grandchildren, Donna Hill, Judy Hill Goff, Teresa Hill, Kelly Parker, Kevin Parker, and John Darren Parker.

Visitation will be Monday, May 12, at O'Bryant Funeral Home from 12 noon to 1:45 p.m.

Graveside service will follow at 2 p.m. at Machpelah Cemetery with Elder W. G. Brashier officiating.

Arrangements by O'Bryant Funeral Home.

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HATELEY

Josephine (Jo) Hateley, 62, 5904 Kings Drive, Pascagoula (Helena community), died Friday, May 9, at Singing River Hospital. She was born Feb. 6, 1924, in Leakesville, Miss., and had lived in Jackson County most of her life.

She is survived by her husband, Bill Hateley, Helena; four sons, Clifford N. Hateley, Escatawpa, Larry Hateley, Biloxi, Robert Hateley, Pascagoula, and David Hateley, Helena; two daughters, Kathleen Allred and Libby Hester, both of Helena; two sisters, Mrs. Thelma Denmark, Helena, and Sue Stewart, Lucedale; two brothers, K.C. McLeod, Kreole, and Mickey McLeod, Citronelle, Ala.; 12 grandchildren, nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Friends may call after 5 p.m. today, Sunday, May 11, at Apostolic Temple in Three

State stops paying

JACKSON, Miss. (AP) — Tennessee hospital officials want to meet with Gov. Bill Allain after they discovered that Mississippi will no longer pay a portion of the health care costs of indigent Mississippi patients at Tennessee hospitals.

Officials have called the cuts "irresponsible" and said that it could eliminate medical care for thousands of poor northern Mississippians.

The Regional Medical Center at Memphis was told Friday that Mississippi and Arkansas no longer can reimburse the center for the cost.

Mississippi officials reminded hospital administrators that the Mississippi Legislature had abolished the State Hospital Commission and could not pay

for treatment of Mississippi residents as of April 30.

The decision by Mississippi legislators to discontinue the reimbursement program affects Regional Medical Center, the Le Bonheur Children's Medical Center and Baptist Memorial Hospital. The three hospitals annually received payments from Mississippi's \$3 million fund.

"This is totally irresponsible and reprehensible," said Jim Rout, chairman of the Shelby County (Tenn.) Commission. "I am amazed that the leadership ... can think along those lines. It is reprehensible that they expect us to take care of their indigents who cross the river or the border."

Slain sheriff buried

HOLLY SPRINGS, Miss. — Funeral services were held Saturday for Marshall County Sheriff Osborne Bell, who was killed Wednesday morning while he and a sheriff's deputy were arresting a man and woman on drug charges.

Meanwhile, an autopsy report released Friday showed Bell, the first black sheriff in Marshall County, died when a bullet cut into a major artery in his neck.

Authorities said that state medical examiner Thomas Bennett had ruled that Bell died of a gunshot wound to the neck. State Highway patrol in-

vestigator Kenny Dickerson said the size of the wound "was consistent" with a 22-caliber bullet.

Authorities believe the suspect who shot Bell during his arrest on Wednesday morning fired once from a hidden 22-caliber pistol about as long as a finger.

Pot starts fire

A pot left unattended on the stove was reported as the cause of a fire that extensively damaged a house at 4843 Jackson Ave. in Moss Point Saturday.

Spokesman for the Moss Point Fire Department said the duplex was owned by E.J. McInnis and occupied by Calvin Montgomery. Damages were estimated at \$8,000 to the structure and \$1,000 to the contents. No injuries were reported. Lt. Ernest Ory directed units 1, 3 and 7 in extinguishing the blaze.

Man robb

A lone gunman robbed Randy Willis of Beaufort, N.C., of \$700 in cash in the parking lot of Publik Warehouse on U.S. 90 east in Moss Point at 12:01 a.m. Saturday and fled on foot. Police Saturday night still were searching for the robber.

Willis told officers he was robbed of his billfold at the door of his automobile in the parking lot by a black man who appeared to be in his twenties.

He said the robber walked up

Crime reports

Pascagoula

Budget Inn, television set reported taken from room. Entry gained by forcing door.

3217 Railroad Ave., \$340 cash reported taken from Comus Bar. Entry gained by breaking pane of glass in door.

4007 N. Pascagoula St. First Assembly of God Church entered and two sound systems, total value of \$5,000, moved to the rear door. Damage in gaining entry estimated at \$150.

2017 Telephone Road, two tires and wheels reported taken from vehicle at Magnolia Motors. Tires and wheels valued at \$320.

Doctors Plaza, \$60 cash reported taken from Gulf Coast Physical Therapy office.

Monaco Lake Apartments, James White reported \$28 cash and a watch valued at \$250 taken from apartment. Damage in gaining entry estimated at \$20.

Tucker-Pascagoula streets, Lee Terril, PHS student, reported vehicle entered and 9 cassette tapes, total value of \$90, taken. Damage in gaining entry estimated at \$20.

U.S. Post Office, Jackson Avenue, Brunette J. Woodson, postal employee, reported vehicle entered and a \$400 cassette player taken.

1915 Harrison, David Lyons reported

SEAN O'SULLIVAN
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PASCAGOULA, MS
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MARY VIRGINIA (POITEVIN)
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POITEVIN

Miss Ethel Rose Poitevin, 74, died Feb. 13 in the Singing River Hospital. A resident of 233 W. Lake Ave. and had been employed with the Telephone Company.

Survivors include two brothers, Ellwood and Eugene Poitevin, both of Pascagoula; one sister, Mrs. Camille Rodriguez of Pascagoula.

Friends may call after 5 p.m. Tuesday at Falls Funeral Home in Pascagoula. Rosary will be recited at 8 p.m. Tuesday. Prayer services will be conducted at 9:45 Wednesday morning, followed by 10 a.m. Mass from the Our Lady of Victories Church. Interment will be in the Greenwood Cemetery.

ELWOOD POITEVIN

MRS. POITEVIN BURIED

PASCAGOULA, Miss., Ala., Dec. 10. —The funeral of Mrs. Paul M. Poitevin, whose death occurred Wednesday night, took place on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late home at 233 Lake avenue, proceeding to the Catholic church where the services were read by Father O'Reilly. Interment in Greenwood cemetery.

Mrs. Poitevin (nee Miss Mary Isabelle Flechas) was born in New Orleans on July 31, 1888, and has lived in Pascagoula for a number of years. She is survived by her husband and four children, Ellwood and Eugene Poitevin and Miss Ethel Poitevin of Pascagoula and Mrs. George W. Rodriguez of Canton, Miss. She also leaves four sisters and two brothers, as follows: Miss Virginia Flechas, Mrs. E. E. Krebs and Mrs. C. E. Seymour of Pascagoula, Mrs. Rufus Keenour of Foley, Ala.; Mr. John J. Flechas of Gulfport, and Mr. M. M. Flechas of Pascagoula.

The funeral of Paul M. Poitevin, who died on Saturday afternoon after a short illness, was held from his late residence in Lake avenue on Sunday afternoon. Rev. Father O'Reilly of the Catholic church officiating. Interment in Greenwood cemetery. The pall bearers were John L. Flechas, M. M. Flechas, Sidoine E. Krebs, Ray Krebs, R. A. Keel and Russell Bullman. The funeral was attended by a large number of friends and relatives from this city, Mobile and other points along the coast, where deceased was a well-known lumberman for a number of years. Mr. Poitevin was born in Mobile, over 71 years ago, and had lived in Pascagoula for over fifty years. He was married in 1888 to Miss Mary E. Flechas of this city, who preceded him to the grave about two years ago. He is survived by four children, Messrs. Ellwood C. and Eugene P. Poitevin, Miss Ethel Poitevin and Mrs. George W. Rodriguez, all of this city; two sisters, Mrs. I. P. Delmad, and Mrs. James J. Krebs; and one brother, Gaston R. Poitevin, and numerous other relatives.

POITEVIN

Ellwood Cowan Poitevin, 89, 404 Lake Ave., Pascagoula, was dead on arrival at Singing River Hospital Tuesday, Dec. 27, 1977. Mr. Poitevin was born Aug. 15, 1888, in Moss Point and had been a resident of Pascagoula for 85 years. He was the former owner of Poitevin Brothers Shipyard and Singing River Decoy Co., and also owned and operated Poitevin Marine Docks. He was a World War I Army veteran and a member of Our Lady of Victories Catholic Church. Mr. Poitevin was the son of the late Paul Marcelle Poitevin and Mary Isabel Flechas Poitevin and the grandson of the late Dr. Auguste Poitevin of Aix, France, and Paulmes Poitevin of Pensacola, Fla., who were pioneer families of Pascagoula.

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Prayer services were held today, Dec. 29, at 9:30 a.m. from the funeral home chapel followed by Requiem Mass at 10 a.m. at Our Lady of Victories Catholic Church. The Right Reverend Monsignor James J. Hannon acted as celebrant. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery with full military honors.

Arrangements by O'Bryant O'Keefe Funeral Home.

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BODDEN

Lucille Emma Poitevin Bodden, 83, of Moss Point, Miss., born January 24, 1919, in Pascagoula, Miss., died October 3, 2002 in Pascagoula. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church, a past member of the St. Josephs Ladies Auxiliary and Our Lady of Victories Sodality. She was preceded in death by her husband, Alfred Griffin Bodden, Sr.; parents, Eugene Paul Poitevin and Emma Bishop Poitevin; brother and sister-in-law, O'Neil F. Poitevin and Vivian Poitevin; sister, Helen Rose Poitevin.

Survivors include two sons and daughters-in-law, Alfred Griffin (Betty) Bodden Jr., of Moss Point and William Eugene (Lynn) Bodden of Moss Point; five grandchildren, Christine Lucille (Joe) Benigno, Alfred Griffin Bodden, III, Micheal Allen Bodden, Elizabeth Ann Bodden, and Joanna Michelle Bodden; three great grandchildren, Jessica Ann Benigno, Samantha Carol Benigno, and Haley Nicole Bodden; nieces; nephews; and other relatives.

Visitation will be Friday, October 4, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., with Rosary recited at 7 p.m., at Jackson County Funeral Services in Escatawpa, Miss.

Funeral services will be 10 a.m., Saturday, October 5, from

St. Joseph Catholic Church in Moss Point, with burial following at Machpelah Cemetery in Pascagoula.

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Henery L. Richards
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Nov. 3, 1952

Merril Wright Jr.
Born Mar. 3, 1927
Died Oct. 9, 1931
(child's grave)

Merrill A. Wright
Mississippi Pvt 471
AREO Const Sq WWI
April 19, 1900 to Aug 4, 1962

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Joseph A. Wright
Born London Eng.
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Feb. 22, 1929

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Better known as
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Born 1868
Died March 15, 1915
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Irene R. Rerecich
Jan. 5, 1887
Aug. 12, 1964
In Memoriam
Supreme Forester
Woodmen Circle

Forrest C. Anderson
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Memorial
Capt. Oliver Anderson
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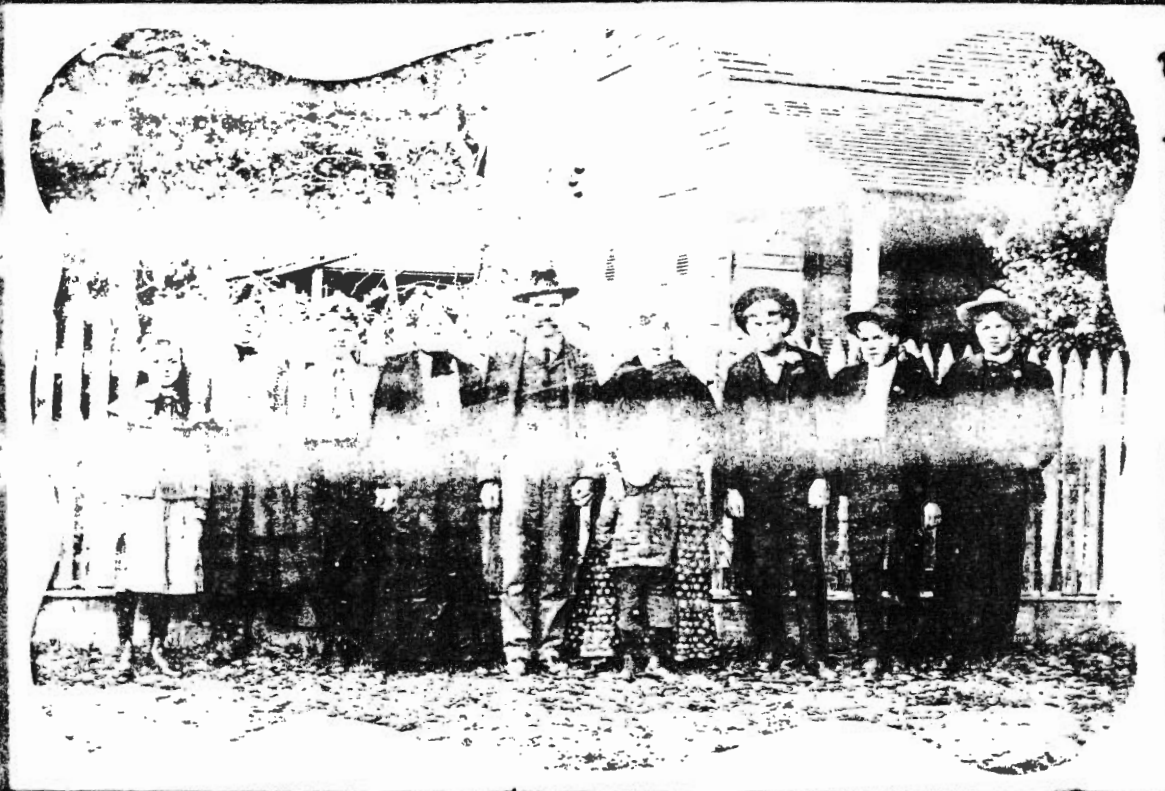
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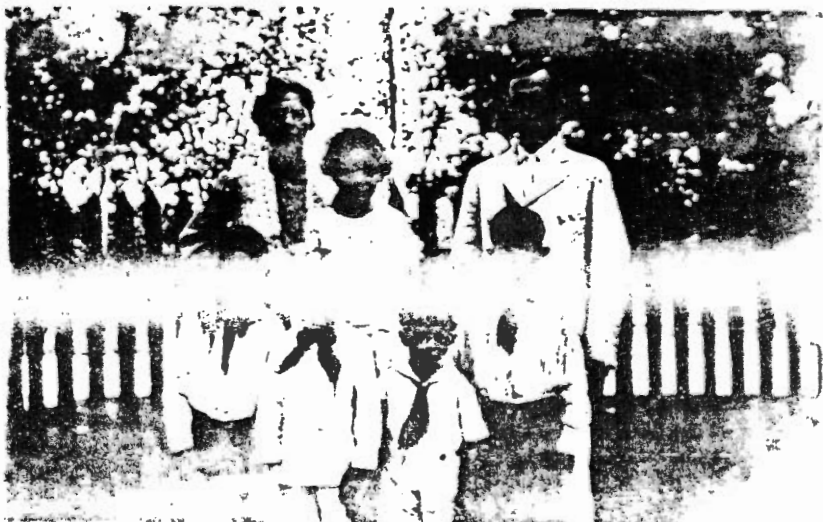
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DAVIDSON & RICHARD

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Mr. & Mrs. John Stiglets
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Davidson Family

1. Emma Ida - Sept. 23, 1892 - Jan. 5, 1979
M. Lonnie L. Watts
2. Mary Laura - June 1, 1891 - Feb - 1975
M. William Bures
3. Lillian Helena Feb. 4, 1889 - Dec. 19, 1963
M. Furdie B. Walker
4. Eugenia Eleanor - 3-10-1882 - 4-30-1909
M. Robert Smith
5. John C. Davidson B. 8-19, 1856 -
M. Emma Richard
6. Emma Richard - July - 17, 1860 - June 1, 1916
7. William Elmer - N.M. -
d. - Jan. 21, 1961, age 80
8. John Carroll
Sept. 27, 1883 - May 15, 1939 N.M.
9. Walter Joseph - d. May 14, 1930 N.M.
10. Raymond Edwin B. Apr. 27, 1900 -
M. Isabelle Manning (youngest in front)

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